

Breast and Cervical Cancer – women under age 65 who have been screened for breast and/or cervical cancer by an approved provider and need cancer treatment services

CHAMP – children under age 19

Deemed Newborn – newborn whose mother was covered by Medicaid at child's birth

Disability Medicaid – age 65 or older and those with disabilities

Emergency Medical Services – certain individuals who are not U.S. citizens

Extended Medicaid – individuals who have lost SSI due to receipt of Social Security benefits or some other income

Family Opportunity Medicaid Buy-In – children with disabilities who are under age 19

LaCHIP – children under age 19 who do not have medical insurance

LaMOMS – pregnant women

Long Term Care

- ★ Nursing Facility
- ★ Developmental Disability Facility
- ★ Acute Care Rehabilitation
- ★ Program of All Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE)
- ★ Long Term Personal Care Services
- ★ Home & Community Based Services
 - ➔ Adult Day Health Care Waiver
 - ➔ Children's Choice Waiver
 - ➔ Elderly & Disabled Adult Waiver
 - ➔ New Opportunities Waiver
 - ➔ Supports Waiver

Low Income Families with Children – families with children under age 18

Medicaid Purchase Plan – individuals age 16-64 with disabilities who work

Medically Needy Program – individuals (over age 65 or have a disability), or families with minor children who have medical bills

Medicare Savings Programs – individuals who are enrolled or can enroll in Medicare Part A

LaCHIP Affordable Plan – cost-sharing program for children under age 19 who are over the regular income limits and who do not have medical insurance

Refugee Medical Assistance – qualified refugees and asylees up to 8 months from their date of entry into the U.S.

TAKE CHARGE Family Planning Program – women age 19-44 who need family planning services

Transitional Medicaid – some families who lose Medicaid coverage in other programs

Tuberculosis Infected Individuals – medical services for tuberculosis

Long Term Care...

For information about Long Term Care for the elderly and adults with disabilities or to be placed on the waiver registry, call Louisiana Options in Long Term Care at **1-877-456-1146**. If you use a TTY text phone, call **1-877-544-9544**.

For a child or someone with a developmental disability, call your regional Office for Citizens with Developmental Disabilities (OCDD) or their toll free number, 1-866-783-5553 to get added to the Request for Services Registry and to find out what services are available now.

To Apply

- ★ Download an application **or** apply online at:
www.Medicaid.DHH.Louisiana.gov,
- ★ Go to a Medicaid Application Center or your local Medicaid office, **or**
- ★ Call the Medicaid office toll free at **1-888-342-6207**.
(If you are deaf or hard of hearing and use a TTY text telephone, call **1-800-220-5404**.)

Coverage may begin as early as 3 months before you apply. After qualifying, your case is reviewed at least once per year.

Requirements to Qualify

- ★ Must live in Louisiana;
- ★ Income must be below the program limits;
- ★ For some programs, things owned must be below the program limits;
- ★ For disability related programs, must meet SSA’s disability criteria (a physical or mental impairment that prevents substantial employment for 12 consecutive months **or** that will result in death; **or** corrected vision no better than 20/200); and
- ★ Must meet all other program requirements.

Medicaid Works Like Other Health Insurance

Medicaid will pay health care providers for covered services, after other health insurances, including Medicare, have paid. You may be able to get reimbursed by Medicaid for medical expenses you have paid.

Medicaid does not cover all medical expenses. Before you get health care, ask the medical provider if the service or prescription will be covered by Medicaid. Adults are limited to 12 doctor visits a year, but more visits may be approved for emergencies and life threatening conditions.

If you qualify for full Medicaid, you will be given a plastic Medicaid card. You must show this card to the medical provider at every visit and each time you visit the pharmacy. This card should be kept with you at all times.

Louisiana Medicaid is an Equal Opportunity Program

We cannot treat you differently because of race, color, sex, age, disability, religion, nationality, or political belief. If you think we have, call the U.S. DHHS, Regional Office for Civil Rights in Dallas, TX toll free at 1-800-368-1019, call or write to your local Medicaid office, and/or write to the Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals at P.O. Box 4818, Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4818.

¿Necesita traductor de español? Llame al 1-877-252-2447.

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